I. **AMENDMENTS TO THE TITLE:**

Please replace the title with the following amended title:

--AUTOMATIC PROGRAM CHANGING METHOD FOR CLIENT PROGRAM INTERFACE--

II.   AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 20, line 6, with the following amended paragraph:

The processing flow of the WSDL file obtainment program 52 is shown in Fig. 23. The WSDL file obtainment program 52 receives the revised WSDL file storage location information 51 from the UDDI retrieval program 48 (700) and obtains the revised WSDL file 37 in accordance with the revised WSDL file storage location information 51 (701). Next, the WSDL file obtainment program 52 judges whether the revised WSDL file 37 can be obtained or not (702) and when it can be obtained, the WSDL file obtainment program 52 sends the obtained revised WSDL file 37 to the WSDL file comparison program 53 to be executed (703). The WSDL file obtainment program 52 judges the return value of the executed WSDL file comparison program 53 (704) and when the return value is change of part tag, the WSDL file obtainment program 52 returns the Client flag to the UDDI retrieval program 48 (705). When it is not the change of the part tag, the WSDL file obtainment program 52 returns information other than the Client flag (706). In step 702, when the WSDL file obtainment program 52 cannot obtain the revised WSDL file 37, the WSDL file obtainment program 52 returns an error indicating that the WSDL file obtainment program 52 fails in obtainment of the revised WSDL file 37 to the UDDI retrieval program 48 (707).

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 28, line 11, with the following amended paragraph:

The processing of the client program production program 62 is now described. The client program production program 62 receives the WSDL stub source 55, the SOAP client program source 57, the adapter source 59 and the JSP file 61 from the production programs 54, 56, 58 and

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60. Then, the WSDL stub source 55, the SOAP client program source 57 and the adapter source 59 received are compiled by means of javac commands <u>63</u> to produce class files. The produced class files <u>64, 65, 66</u> are converted into a JAR file 68 of jar file format by means of jar commands <u>69</u>. Next, the JAR file 68 and the JSP file 61 are converted into a WAR file 73 of war file format by means of –war option of the jar commands. Finally, the WAR file 73 is sent to the client program execution program 26.